Re: Objection to termination of Executory Contracts Curtis Etheridge

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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

RICHMOND DIVISION

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In re: ) Chapter 11
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CIRCUIT CITY STORES, INC., ) Case No. 08-35653-KRH
et al., )
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) Jointly Administered
Debtors. )
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NOTICE OF MOTION AND NOTICE OF HEARING ON DEBTORS' EIGHTH OMNIBUS MOTION FOR ORDER PURSUANT TO BANKRUPTCY CODE SECTIONS 105(a) AND 365(a) AND BANKRUPTCY RULE 6006 AUTHORIZING REJECTION OF CERTAIN EXECUTORY CONTRACTS

To the Honorable Judge and Court,

I hereby object to the termination of the Executory contracts based on the facts listed below. I am not a lawyer but have a hard time in understanding why these contracts would be terminated based on a "best business"

judgment" and that it is not in bad faith. During the filing of bankruptcy and shortly there after, associates looked to us for guidance and direction. When the company announced bankruptcy at no time were our contracts terminated nor fulfilled. If so, there would have been more turnover making the bankruptcy process more challenging resulting in less assets for the creditors. In addition, Why would some contracts be honored but others not. I worked for Circuit City (like Many) for over 20 years giving more than most of the creditors that are out there. Lastly, I received the objection information on Saturday Feb 6th making it near impossible to respond to the objection. I also do not understand how it cannot be considered bad faith. I thank you for your time and have listed other reasons I object below.

- Best Business Judgment , Contracts fulfilled by managers and during Bankruptcy played a vital role in protecting assets of the company. If no contract in place, many of these vital managers would have left leaving the company at a risk in regards to assets.
- Good Faith , contracts were fulfilled and it would be in bad faith if they were not honored.

Please see following concerns and objections (in Bold)

0. The Debtors are currently performing
their review and evaluation of other executory contracts
that are not the subject of this Motion. As this
process continues, the Debtors may identify additional
executory contracts to be assumed or rejected.
Accordingly, the Debtors reserve the right to seek to
assume or reject additional executory contracts. This
Motion should not be construed as a determination that
any executory contracts not listed herein are to be
assumed or rejected. Inconsistent, why would some
contracts be honored and others not.

16. Accordingly, the Debtors believe that rejection of the Contracts is in the best interests of their estates, their creditors, and other parties in interest. This was not the case during the bankruptcy. Our services are not needed now: However, during my 20 years of tenure I fulfilled my obligations. In addition, during time of Bankruptcy we played a vital role in

protecting the assets via audits, calming and focusing our associates on customers and sells

18. Once the Debtors articulate a valid business justification, "[t]he business judgment rule 'is a presumption that in making a business decision the directors of a corporation acted on an informed basis, in good faith and in the honest belief that the action 9

taken was in the best interests of the company."
Official Comm. Of Subordinated Bondholders v. Integrated
Res., Inc., 147 B.R. 650, 656 (S.D.N.Y. 1992) (quoting
Smith v. Van Gorkom, 488 A.2d 858, 872 (Del. 1985)).

20. As set forth above, the Debtors have satisfied the "business judgment" standard for rejecting the Contracts. The Contracts provide no economic benefit to the Debtors, nor are such Contracts a source of potential value for the Debtors' estates and creditors. Accordingly, rejection of the Contracts reflects the exercise of the Debtors' sound business judgment. Without us, the assets that are being distributed would be less.

Curtis Etheridge